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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE
MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION --
FILING DATE GRANTED**

Docket Number:
2565/29

Application Number
09/129,646

Filing Date
Aug. 5, 1998

Examiner

Art Unit
1723

Invention Title
**METHOD AND DEVICE FOR MONITORING A
VASCULAR ACCESS DURING A DIALYSIS
TREATMENT**

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To complete the filing requirements for the above-referenced application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.51, enclosed please find a signed Declaration and Power of Attorney. A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed August 21, 1998 is enclosed.

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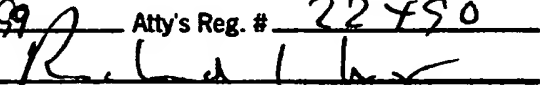
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